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JUMPED FROM A WINDOW

AT THE M. K. & T. HOSPITAL AT THE HOUR OF SIX O'CLOCK THIS MORNING.

A PATIENT DELIRIOUS WITH FEVER

Ran Several Blocks Attired Only in His Night Clothes, Then Grabbed Up a Flat Iron and Stood Off the Crowd.

"Help me! Oh, help me! I've been held up!" shouted a young man about 22 years of age, who, attired only in his night garb, ran west on East Broadway at 6 o'clock this morning.

"I've been held up, and they're after me," the man cried, frantically, and then he ran upon the front porch at the residence of Charles Hildebrandt, 516 East Broadway.

The man was E. T. Moore, a civil engineer for the Katy at Denison, Texas. He is suffering from pneumonia fever, having been ill for almost a week, and was brought to the company hospital here on the flyer at 12:40 o'clock this morning.

Moore evinced no signs of delirium on arrival here, and after reaching the hospital he was assigned to a bed in a ward. He retired in the usual manner, and at about 6 o'clock in the morning the sisters at the institution noticed him arising.

Moore ran to a window on one side of the ward, and, raising it, he jumped through to the ground below, but escaped without injury.

He ran from the hospital grounds, and in spite of the fact that he wore no clothing except his night gown, he ran madly down Hancock avenue to Broadway, thence east on that thoroughfare.

His cries and screams attracted the attention of several residents of that part of the city, some of whom ran from their homes, and pursued the man.

Moore reached the corner of Broadway and Thompson avenue, and, noticing Mrs. Hildebrandt's daughter in the front yard, he made a dash for that residence.

When he reached the porch Mrs. Hildebrandt was attracted to Moore and endeavored to calm the man, who continually cried out that he had been held up, and they were still after him.

Moore, after persuasion and coaxing, entered Mrs. Hildebrandt's house, and started up stairs. He seized a flat iron that was lying on the floor in the hall and threatened to kill anyone who attempted to molest him.

The crowd around the house, coupled with the hospital attendants, added to Moore's fears, but after a thirty-minute endeavor to calm the man, he finally agreed to return to the hospital, if the people would leave him alone.

Moore returned to the institution, and was promptly put to bed, and when a Democrat-Sentinel reporter called the patient was slumbering peacefully.

The physicians at the hospital state that occurrences of this kind happen frequently, when the fever reaches such a state as to derange the patient's mind, and while in such a condition more serious results sometimes follow.

WAS HE THE KILLED BOY?

Lad Who Told Sedalia Lady That He Lived in Denver.

Just after the noon hour Thursday, August 15, an unknown boy, 16 or 17 years old, called at the home of Mrs. Margaret Clifford, 316 West Fourth street, and begged something to eat.

He was fed, and during his stay at the house he stated that his home was in Denver, Colo.

That night a boy answering the description of the one who called at Mrs. Clifford's home was killed by an M. K. & T. train four miles southwest of Sedalia.

Possibly the boy who said he lived in Denver was the lad killed on the Katy.

May Take in New Towns.

There is talk of the Western Baseball association being a ten-club circuit next year by taking in Coffeyville and Independence, Kas.

Frank Isbell, of the Chicago White Sox, has purchased the Wichita team and franchise for \$8,000, and will manage the club next season.

Still Other Letters Received.

Chief of Police Boult today received additional letters from Kansas City people, asking about the unknown boy killed by a Katy train last Thursday night.

Used 20 Gallons of Cream.

Twenty gallons of ice cream were used at the social given by the ladies of St. Patrick's church at the parochial residence last night.

New York Machinists May Strike

New York, Aug. 21.—A strike of 17,000 machinists in New York may take place today. They ask for an increase of 25 cents a day.

GOOD HERDS TO BE HERE

COL. M. V. CARROLL, OF THE PRESS BUREAU, HAS BEEN SO ADVISED.

SHOW 'N IOWA, THEN COME HERE

All of the Parties Mentioned Were Here Last Year, and Were So Well Pleased They Will Return in October.

Missouri and Iowa fine stock breeders fraternize closely, and a large number of the noted herds of the Hawkeye state will be shown at the next Missouri state fair, and Missouri's crack herds will be well represented at the Iowa show that opens at Des Moines, Aug. 23.

The Iowa press bureau reports the following named Missouri cattle and horse breeders as having made entries:

Senator T. J. Wornell & Sons, Liberty; Shadwell Stock Farm, Carthage, and A. T. Graves, King City, will show Shorthorns.

J. J. Early, Barring; Hugh Whiteford, Guilford, and James H. Logan, Kansas City, will exhibit Herefords.

McDonald & Brantley, Princeton, Angus cattle.

Mrs. S. B. Thomas, St. Joseph, Jersey cattle.

The Missouri saddle horse breeders are Tom Bass, Mexico; Ed Clapper, W. O. Robins and R. W. Crumacker, Unionville, and Tom H. Jones, Laclede.

All of the above named stockmen exhibited here last year and will be here again the first week in October.

SEDALIA YOUTH ABROAD

Two Girls Say They Endeavored to Save His Camera.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 21.—Anella Ferris, of Lawton and Grand avenues, who, with Ruby Schramm, of No. 208 South Twenty-third street, was arrested Monday on the charge of stealing a camera from Joseph Peterson, of Sedalia, Mo., was released yesterday when Peterson failed to appear at the Four Courts to prosecute.

Both girls denied they attempted to steal the camera, and said they were endeavoring to return it when they were arrested.

"We were eating a watermelon in a restaurant opposite Union station," said Miss Ferris. "I saw the camera on the counter, and cautioned one of the waiters who attempted to pick it up. He wanted to know what business of mine it was. I took the camera, and Ruby and I started to leave, intending to return the machine to the young man who left it, and was then standing on the opposite side of the street."

WAS A WOMAN INJURED?

Eleven Torpedoes Were Exploded On Railway Track.

Residents of South Sedalia, between Broadway and Twelfth street, east of Ohio, were attracted about 8 o'clock last night by the report of eleven supposed shots heard in that vicinity.

Police Officer Farmer investigated and learned that some one had placed eleven railroad torpedoes on the Katy track and a train had passed over them.

A report was heard that a lady had been injured by the explosion, but no one seems to be acquainted with the particulars.

COLD BLOODED MURDER

JAMES WHITTINGER COVETED FINE HORSE AND BUGGY IN INDIANA.

HE SHOT HIS SLEEPING COMPANION

The Latter Died in a Hospital and the Man Who Did the Shooting Is in Jail, With Strong Guard Around Him.

Lafayette, Ind., Aug. 21.—According to his confession made to Police Sergeant John Sluth and his brother-in-law, Marcus Cann, last night, Jas. Whittinger is guilty of one of the most cold blooded murders ever committed in this vicinity. His victim was Humboldt Summerfield, who died in a hospital from a gun shot wound.

Whittinger was captured near Crawfordsville and brought to this city. At first he denied all knowledge of the crime, but finally told a story, in substance as follows:

In company with Summerfield he started out for a drive. After stopping at the farm house of Chas. Layburn for a drink of water, they drove into a patch of timber known as McCoy's Woods to enjoy the shade. Without hitching their horse, both fell asleep. After standing for awhile the horse started on and when the buggy struck a stump Whittinger awoke. He shook Summerfield and gave him a drink of beer.

Again Summerfield went to sleep, and Whittinger began to think he might as well own the horse and buggy as Summerfield, so, drawing his revolver, he shot his companion, the body falling out of the buggy.

Whittinger drove away, and, fearing to return to Lafayette, he went to Crawfordsville. Summerfield was found dying from the loss of blood and taken to the hospital, where he died without having regained consciousness.

The jail is being guarded, as there are fears for his safety when the details of his confession are known.

BOY BITTEN BY A DOG

Wound Was Cauterized and No Serious Results Anticipated.

A boy apparently about 6 years old, residing in the 1200 block on East Fourth street, while driving cows to pasture in the vicinity of his home at 7:30 o'clock this morning, was attacked by a small dog, and was bitten on the left hip.

The wound was very painful, and caused the blood to appear. Relatives of the child had him removed to the residence of Dr. E. F. Staats, on East Fifth street, where the wound was cauterized, and later the child was removed home.

Dr. Staats was unable to give the name of the boy, but said he was inclined to believe the wound was not of a serious nature, as the dog chested the boy, something rabid dogs do not do.

REPORTED BIG SALE

Controlling Interest in Pittsburg Mine Near Tipton.

Special to the Democrat-Sentinel.

Tipton, Mo., Aug. 21.—It is reported that a sale of a controlling interest in the Pittsburg mine, near here, has been effected, at a price in excess of a million dollars—that is, the company is capitalized at a million, and a controlling interest sold for over a million.

Several capitalists from New York are here, and it is understood the deal was closed Monday night, but the parties are not in town today and further particulars are not obtainable.

Suit Filed for Divorce.

Bessie Williams, through Attorney Fast, today entered suit for divorce from her husband, Edward W. Williams, in the circuit court, alleging desertion. She also asks the custody of her nineteen-months-old daughter. They were married in Sedalia on August 19, 1904, and lived together until November 24, 1905.

Licensed to Wed.

A marriage license was issued today to John W. Carter and Minnie H. Johnson, both of Sedalia.

Dr. Rogers' Mother Ill.

Dr. J. S. Rogers, of Sedalia, is in the city, says Monday's Marshall Democrat-News. He came over to see his aged mother, Mrs. G. A. Rogers, who has been quite sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patterson, with whom she is spending the summer. Mrs. Rogers' condition is about the same it has been for several days.

Meeting of Violet Camp.

Violet camp No. 607, Royal Neighbors of America, met Tuesday afternoon and balloted on six applications, while eight candidates were initiated. At the conclusion of the work in hand ice cream and cake were served.

BROKE INTO "LOCKERS"

YARDMEN IN EMPLOY OF KATY WERE THE VICTIMS TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

STORAGE SHANTY WAS LOOTED

Two Lads of Tender Years Disposed of the Articles Stolen to the Hanton Junk Company, on East Fifth Street.

Seven pairs of serviceable rubber boots, a rubber coat, two pairs of gloves and a new hat were stolen from the Katy storage shanty just east of the Katy tracks, on Fifth street, yesterday.

Late last evening Police Officer Farmer recovered the boots, which had been sold to the Hanton Junk company, just half a block east of where the goods were stolen.

The stolen articles were the property of Arthur Sollois, George Wilson, James and W. E. Egan, Pat Shea, E. P. Hudson and Ed Jables, all Katy switchmen.

According to the story furnished the police by the wife of the owner of the junk company, two boys, about 10 or 12 years of age, sold the goods at the place.

From early morning until late in the afternoon the two lads would enter the junk company office, bringing a pair of boots or some other article, which they wished to sell. In each instance the goods were purchased.

When the switchmen entered the shanty yesterday afternoon they discovered the locks on their lockers broken, and in several instances the hinges had been torn loose. The police were notified and on investigation found the stolen articles as told above.

The police obtained a good description of the boys who sold the clothes, and arrests will likely be made this evening.

LADIES MADE ABOUT \$38

The Auxiliary to the B. of R. T. at Mrs. Anderson's.

The ladies' auxiliary to the B. of R. T. gave a delightful social last night at the home of Mrs. George W. Anderson, 246 South Prospect street.

There was a good attendance, the cool weather considered, and after a fine musical program had been rendered ice cream and cake were served. The ladies cleared something like \$38.

A large cake baked and donated by Mrs. A. C. Frey was raffled at 10 cents a chance, and was won by Mrs. Anderson, who held No. 2. Owing to the fact that the social was given at her home, the cake was again raffled, and was won by Mrs. John Isenberg, who held No. 6.

TUESDAY FOR SEDALIA DAY

Jake Brandt Says Give the Entire Day Over to Visiting the Fair.

Jake Brandt, of the Brandt Grocer Co., says he is in favor of Tuesday for Sedalia day at the state fair, and believes also in closing all business for the entire day. Said Mr. Brandt: "This closing for half a day is of no use. You work all morning and go to the fair all tired out and then haven't the time to see half the exhibits. Let everyone order their goods Monday and have the entire Tuesday for the people of Sedalia."

Mexican Was Fined.

A Mexican was fined \$5 for drunkenness by Judge Gresham in police court today.

THE MANAGER IS FIRED

THE DENISON, TEXAS, WESTERN UNION OFFICE CLOSED TEMPORARILY.

LOCAL CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVED

This is the Information Gleaned at the Western Union and Postal Offices From Respective Managers.

Information was received here today that the Western Union office at Denison, Texas, was closed last night and will remain closed until a competent manager is secured.

The M. K. & T. was asked to furnish an operator, but no one would volunteer to work under the circumstances.

Manager Frank E. Gibbons, of the local Western Union office, today received the first Associated Press report for the Democrat-Sentinel since the strike of operators was inaugurated. Up to today the report has been received by long distance telephone.

Mr. Gibbons says that he is now working with St. Louis, Kansas City and Chicago without delay, and that conditions in those cities are improving each day, as many strikers are returning to work.

There will be many other to follow suit. Mr. Gibbons thinks, when the money of the strikers runs out and the pangs of hunger are felt.

Mrs. McCaffrey, of the Postal Telegraph company, is sending business to both Kansas City and St. Louis without delay, and to many other points of the country as well.

A Chicago dispatch to the Democrat-Sentinel today says:

"The leaders of the telegraphers' union declared today that the strike had settled down to a matter of endurance, which, according to one of them, means a test of finances. Both companies today reported having added to the number of men at work."

FOUR FOR A NICKEL

No Wonder the Conductor Had a Large Case of Disgust.

Street car conductors have many annoying experiences in the course of their daily work, but the blue ribbon winner appeared this morning.

A woman, accompanied by three children, ranging in age from 6 to 12 years, boarded an East Sedalia car at Ohio and Main streets. At Broadway the conductor called for fares.

Quietly and unceremoniously the female passenger dove into her hand purse and therefrom removed five pennies, which she gallantly handed to the conductor.

"You must have 15 cents more," remarked the conductor, as he gazed into the eyes of the passenger.

"That's all the money I have," she answered; "I spent the rest for chewing gum for the children."

The conductor looked disheartened, but he registered the five pennies, and in the meantime closely observed the quartette so that they might not pass their destination.

KNEW OF NO RUMPUS

Because of This Fact Wm. Hooker Was Discharged.

Will Hooker, of Appleton City, who was arrested a week ago last Friday night for attempting to feloniously assault C. R. Johnson, a Katy train auditor, was arraigned for a preliminary hearing in a justice court at Montrose yesterday.

After the introduction of evidence from the train crew and several passengers on the train, the case was dismissed, but Hooker will be rearrested on a minor charge.

Lady passengers on the train were subpoenaed in the case and all testified that they knew of no disturbance whatever. Instead, when the crew said the "rumpus" was taking place, the car was as quiet as a church, no one making even a slight disturbance.

Dislocated His Knee.

Ray Harris, employed at the Sedalia Candy company, is off from work suffering from a dislocated right knee, received yesterday by falling from a wagon.

Fish Fry is Postponed.

The fish fry which was to be held at the wagon bridge over Muddy, just north of Georgetown, Tuesday, was, on account of the heavy rain which fell the night before, postponed to Wednesday of next week, or the 28th inst., when, if the weather is pleasant and the creek at a proper stage, a good sized crowd will attend.

Death of An Infant.

Sedalia friends yesterday received news of the death of the infant daughter of Frank McCormick, a former Sedalia railroad man, now living at St. Louis. Burial of the infant took place Monday.

MAN WAITED SIX WEEKS

AFTER WIFE'S TRAGIC DEATH AND THEN MARRIED HIS STEP-DAUGHTER.

DID SPOUSE COMMIT SUICIDE?

This Was the Verdict of Coroner's Jury—The Second Marriage Has Caused Considerable Excitement.

Dillsboro, Ind., Aug. 21.—There is considerable excitement over the marriage of Wesley Bradley and his step-daughter, Anna Knigga, which occurred in Warsaw, Ky.

The family resided a few miles south of here and about six weeks ago Bradley's wife died suddenly. The coroner's verdict indicated that she had committed suicide by taking paris green.

The dead woman's name was Mary Pavy. She was the daughter of a Baptist minister and was related to some of the best families of Ohio county. (She was first married to Wm. Knigga, who left her at his death a good farm and considerable money.)

John Knigga, brother of the girl, witnessed her marriage to their stepfather. Bradley and his wife have gone to Louisville, Kentucky. Bradley has five small children, to whom his new wife will be half-sister and step-mother.

BLUE LAWS AT ST. JOE

As a Result Clothiers Can't Even Sell a New Collar on Sunday.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 21.—The city administration here has made its second arrest in a campaign against the Sunday sale of merchandise.

In the past "loggers" shops have been in the habit of keeping open on Sunday. Recently an order from the chief of police was issued, closing them.

A week ago the first arrest was made and a fine of \$25 imposed. Sunday M. A. Schloss, a clothier, was arrested, charged with selling neckties.

In police court yesterday he resisted the action against him and the case was set for August 23. He threatens to appeal, if convicted, and to test the validity of the ordinance.

MICHAEL ABBOTT DEAD

Funeral Under Auspices of Salvation Army Tomorrow.

Michael Abbott, a plasterer by occupation, died of general debility at the home of his son-in-law, E. C. Osborne, 215 East Seventeenth street, at 12:30 o'clock this morning, aged 87 years. His wife died ten years ago.

Deceased was the father of nine living children and four deceased. Funeral services will be held under the auspices of the Salvation Army at Mr. Osborne's home at 10 a. m. tomorrow, and interment will be in the city cemetery.

Peter Pehl Heard From.

Dr. E. Nasse today received a postal card from Peter Pehl, sent from Yellowstone park, in which he states he is having a delightful time, and recently caught fifteen trout in the lake in the park in one hour.

Peace Disturbing Case Continued. Judge Rickman today continued the case of Peter Holbert, charged with disturbing the peace of Lelia and M. Reynolds, until September 3.

ASKS TO BE PUT IN JAIL

ACCUSES HIMSELF OF PATRICIDE COMMITTED SIXTY YEARS AGO.

NO CHARGE AGAINST THE OLD MAN

The Truly Pathetic Story of the Aged Kentucky Farmer Who Was Freed On the First Hearing.

Winchester, Ky., Aug. 21.—James Sutherland, aged 85, a leading farmer of Nicholas county, came here and asked to be put in the county jail for the crime of killing his father, committed 60 years ago in this county.

Shortly after he reached manhood, his father, who belonged to a large and respected family in this county, but who was a very rough man, drove all his family off the place and threatened to kill James, his son, who remonstrated rather vigorously.

To avoid him James was leaving when the old man followed him for the avowed purpose of putting his threat into execution. The boy, who was armed, seeing that his father would succeed unless stopped, ordered him not to cross the fence that separated them. The father kept advancing, and when he reached the top of the fence the boy shot and killed him.

His examining trial seemed to show a clear case of self defense, but now that old age has weakened his faculties and loosed his tongue the secret trouble that has haunted his life is manifest and he demands that justice be meted out to him, as a patricide.

He had slipped away from his family without telling them what he intended doing, had drawn \$15 from his bank, and besides his railroad ticket had bought a few things to sojourn himself with during the long term of imprisonment which he contemplated. He did not know any of our citizens, but knew who they were when they told him who their fathers or grandfathers were. It was like Jean Valjean and Rip Van Winkle combined.

Judge Evans, the county judge, explained to him that no charge rested against him, that he had been exonerated, and could not be put in jail. He also telegraphed to the county judge of Nicholas county, and advised him of the circumstances and asked him to have some of his people meet Sutherland in Paris, to which point some one from this county would escort him.

RURAL SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 2

Teachers' Examination Friday and Saturday, Aug. 23-24.

The rural schools of Pettis county will open on Monday, September 2.

On Friday and Saturday, August 23 and 24, County School Superintendent T. R. Luckett will conduct examinations at the High school building, the subjects being as follows:

First day, Friday, August 23: Geography, 8 to 10 a. m.; grammar, 9 a. m. to 12 m.; algebra, 10 a. m. to 11:30 p. m.; orthography, 1:30 to 3 p. m.; language, 2 to 4:30 p. m.; arithmetic, 2:30 to 6 p. m.; literature, 4 to 6 p. m.

Second day, Saturday, August 24: Reading, 8 to 9 a. m.; civil government, 9:30 to 11 a. m.; United States history, 9 a. m. to 12 m.; science, 10:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.; physiology, 1:30 to 3:30 p. m.; pedagogy, 2:30 to 6 p. m.; advanced history, 4 to 6 p. m.

WANTS A NEW TRIAL

Robert Sassaman, Sentenced to Prison for Life.

Col. A. B. Logan and Joseph K. Tuttle, the latter a former Sedalian, attorneys for Robert Sassaman, of St. Louis, who was found guilty at Warrensburg Monday of killing Carl Miller and sentenced to ninety-nine years in the penitentiary, have filed a motion for a new trial, setting forth thirty-six reasons why another hearing should be granted and twelve reasons why the court should set aside the verdict of the jury.

Judge Bradley will hear arguments on the new trial motion.

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A STARTLING CALAMITY.

Our blessed era of prosperity is
about to be punctured with a calamity.
A calamity almost as appalling
in its nature as the massacre of the
American soldiers by the deadly can-
nibal American war. The occurrence of
this calamity is due to the inclement
weather experienced in California.

Advices from the prune pro-
ducing centers indicates not only a
great shortage of the crop, but an
advance in the price as well.

Last year California's prune pro-
duction amounted to 200,000,000
pounds, this year it will fall short
of that by just one half of its
amount. The combined annual out-
put of Washington, Oregon and Idaho
averages 30,000,000 pounds. We re-
ceive from France, Germany and Eng-
land about 500,000 annually, while
in return we supply the same coun-
tries with about 50,000,000 pounds,
which leaves us with but 80,000,000
pounds to meet the domestic de-
mands.

So the prodigal returning this year
to the residue of his childhood's
memory, will have to be inflated with
food stuff other than the prune.
"Familiarity breeds contempt" was
ever spoken of the prune. Of all the
articles of food ever grown, produced
or invented, none of them has been
so popular as the dark and juicy
prune. It has long occupied the al-
pha and omega positions, on the menu
cards of all the hotels and boarding
houses of the land.

In the hours of hesitation for the
want of proper food, the mind never
alled in reverting back to the gay
and festive prune. Morning, noon and
night, its cheerful advent has been
as sure and welcome as the day.
Men great and small have been
known to linger with the prune in
the gratification of their appetites
until they were literally "full of
prunes." Even now there is an epi-
demic of this fullness among the
politicians of the state.

But the time is coming when to
accuse one of being full of prunes
will be taken as a recognition of
outrage. The prune is the one article
of food which runs the course of
the seven ages, and has won the
title of being our national food. Its
familiarity in the American house-
hold extends from the cradle to the
grave. And this is what makes the
scarcity hurt.

But the crops do not always yield
an abundance, they have their off
years, the same as politics. The
landlords and ladies of our eating
emporia will be the greatest suf-
ferers, the boarders the deepest
mourners.

But if the worst comes to worst,
we still have the countless brands
of breakfast foods to fall back on.

A JUDICIAL BOOMERANG.

The first United States statute im-
posing an inheritance, or succession,
tax was passed in 1797. Such taxes
were also imposed by the acts of
June 30, 1884, and June 13, 1898. The
leading cases in which these acts
have been construed by the supreme
court are Scholey vs. Rev. 25 Wal-
lace and Knowlton vs. Moore,
178 U. S. 51.

The statutes have all been held to
be constitutional, but the court has
changed its views on the grounds on
which such a tax is to be upheld.
The latest opinion of the court main-

tains that it is an excise tax, and
may be levied as ordinary tariff
taxes are, without being apportioned
among the states according to popu-
lation.

This view places all the property
in the country at the disposal of con-
gress, at the death of the owner.
Those people who successfully op-
posed the income tax levied by the
Wilson tariff bill may yet have reason
to regret their success in that
matter, since the decision in the
Knowlton-Moore case enables con-
gress to grab the property at their
death without any constitutional limi-
tation, except that the tax shall be
uniform throughout the United
States.

The millionaires will, of course, be
the first sufferers. But there is no
safeguard against the confiscation of
all property under this decision.

THE TRUSTS TAX U. S.

Ten years of the Dingley law
shows a tax of \$3 a year on every
man, woman and child in the United
States. That's only what was paid in
buying imported goods.

The less direct tax for high prices
on domestic goods, with foreign com-
petition throttled, can never be es-
timated, but we may form some idea
of it by the size of the fortunes ac-
cumulated by the magnates of the
steel trust, the leather trust and the
like.

The most reliable statisticians es-
timate that each family in the Unit-
ed States pays an average of nearly
\$100 annually in increased profits to
the trusts, in consequence of the
protection the tariff gives them.

Those predictions of a telegra-
pher's strike came true to a dot. The
dashes are being supplied by the peo-
ple who can't get their messages
off.

The American navy, an expert de-
clares, is the second in the world.
What say you, Mr. Warlord, shall we
go out and provoke a little scrap to
prove it?

"I am hitched to a cart in which
the public rides."—John D. Rockef-
er. What the public kicks on is the
stiff fare it gets stuck for.

The richest unmarried woman in
France is the Princess Marie Bonap-
arte. How she has so far eluded
Count Boni is inexplicable.

China wants a strong ruler as a
successor to the empress dowager.
Let's send her over Carrie Nation.

Rockefeller may be the public's
servant, as he says, but the public
has a dence of a time firing him.

There is certainly a bumper crop
of automobile victims this year.

Apache Tribe Meeting.

At Tuesday night's meeting of
Apache tribe, Red Men, J. M. Morgan
was elected collector of wampum.
vice Will DeBolt, resigned. Three
applications for membership were
received, and arrangements were
perfected for a big feast next Tuesday
night, when the members of Missouri
council No. 23, Pocahontas, and a
number of pale faces will be the
guests of honor.

Moved

We have moved from 118 W. Main
street to 114 South Osage street,
where we have more room and
are better prepared to meet your
requirements in the hardware
line. We solicit your patronage.

J. B. Richter

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Too Hot to Start a Fire

We Can Fix You Up Without It

Roast beef, 15c; 2 lbs.....25c
Ready to eat.

Corned beef, can.....15c, 25c.
Try it once and you will buy again.

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CROP OF RATTLESNAKES

THEY WERE HATCHED ON A
FARM NOT FAR FROM CHAT-
TANOOGA, TENN.

A STRANGE OKRA PLANT PRODUCT

Naturalistic Freak Occurred Over the
Necropolis of Reptiles That Had
Been Slain. Says a
Dispatch.

Chattanooga, Aug. 21.—Here is a
"nature fake" story right. It comes
from Sequatchie, Tenn., where al-
most anything is liable to happen.
President Roosevelt is practically
sure to get after its author, for he
will find a limit when it comes to
raising rattlesnakes on okra—hatch-
ing them out of the pods, so to
speak.

Austin Coppinger is one of the
most progressive farmers in the Se-
quatchie Valley. He lives about two
miles from the station that bears the
name of what is known as "Coppin-
ger's Cove." All that is chronicled
in this story happened on the Cop-
pinger farm, and is vouched for by
numerous neighbors, as well as two
or three state officials.

Last year the Coppinger place was
alive with rattlesnakes. They did ev-
erything but swarm, and they lacked
only wings or they would have ac-
complished that feat. Hundreds were
killed and it became a problem how
to dispose of the dead ones. As a fi-
nal solution, a half acre of ground
was "fenced off," and within the en-
closure was dug a ditch. Before the
summer was ended it had been filled
with rattlesnake corpses and they
were buried with appropriate rites.

This year the enclosure was used
for a garden. Just over the grave of
the snakes was planted a supply of
okra. It grew with unusual luxur-
iance, but nothing was thought of
that until the blossoms began to ap-
pear. Instead of being pure white,
they were mixed and mottled with
black and brown, the "colors" of the
rattler. When the pods appeared they
were like colored, and in addition,
were shaped like the coil of a snake.

In time, they began to burst, and
then it was found that each pod
contained a live rattlesnake, some
of them five inches in length and
others as long as twelve inches, all
about the size of a lead pencil. Soon
the ground in the garden was cov-
ered with them.

Dr. Euclid Snow, state naturalist,
of Nashville, was called upon. He
went up a few days ago and succee-
ded in capturing about a gallon of the
reptiles, which he will keep in al-
cohol and exhibit at the state fair.

It became a serious situation. Ev-
erybody who went on the place began
to consider the necessity of taking
the Keeley cure. Few could realize
that all the pitcher plants and other
hybrid growths had been outstripped
in the race for naturalistic fame by
the union of vegetable and animal
life in this crop of snakes.

As a last resort, Mr. Coppinger has
had the lot covered two feet deep
with straw and the match applied. It
is hoped this method has destroyed
the reptiles.

BEST POULTRY AND EGGS.

The Consumer Is Coming to Realize
That They Are the Cheapest.

Consumers of dressed poultry are
gradually realizing that the best table
poultry and eggs are the cheapest for
them to buy; that the edible portion
of a nicely fattened, well fleshed fowl
is nearly twice that of a thin one of
the same size—sufficient to more than
offset the difference in price. The
quality and flavor of the meat of the
well fleshed and fattened bird is also
superior to that of the poorer fowl,
though it necessitated but little dif-
ference in the labor required to mar-
ket the two kinds.

It happens, too, that the old claim
that "an egg is an egg" has silently
crept out of existence. Whatever may
be said regarding the color of the shell
as an indication of its contents, it is
certain that a dozen eggs of good size
and of uniform shape—and color also
—is a better purchase than a dozen of
assorted shapes and sizes at the same
price. And it is the nice, clean, fresh
looking eggs heaped up in a basket
that always attracts the purchaser's
eye and leads him back again to the
same place when more of this staple
is wanted.

As the people become better ac-
quainted with this matter, says North-
western Agriculturist, they will insist
upon having the best quality, and the
dealers will be able to pay the poultry-
men better prices and buy more stock.
As there is more profit in this better
quality, the breeder is certain to re-
ceive his full share of the benefit.

We, the undersigned, having dis-
posed of our entire output of coals
for this season to the Stanley Coal
Co., hereby notify our former custo-
mers that they can buy coals only
through the Stanley Coal Co.—Seda-
lia Light and Traction Co.

Luncheon Suggestions

Well cooked boiled ham; lunch tongue
—2 tongues in a can—ready for
slicing, per can, 35c; new rich, full
Genuine Im- cream cheese; new
ported Swiss brick cheese, and a
Cheese, fresh imported Swiss
Per Pound, cheese, the finest you
40c, ever tasted. All
kinds canned meats. Those sardines
in tomato sauce for 15c are fine.

We are daily receiving the finest
vegetables that come to town—sweet
Extra Fine potatoes, celery, let-
tuce, selected toma-
toes, lima beans,
okra, sweet corn and the country gen-
tleman variety of sweet corn, small
cans and extra nice.

Oranges, sweet and juicy, Bartlett
eating pears, fine Missouri watermel-
ons, home-grown can-
Free-Stone teloupes, cooking ap-
Peaches, ples, Arizona canteloupes, thin-
skinned juicy lemons, ripe yellow
bananas, etc.

For years we have sold Chase & San-
Standard barn coffee and teas.
Mocha and Dollar quality tea,
Java, your favorite kind,
Per Pound, per lb., 75c. The
40c, coffee with the old-
time Java flavor, the finest in the
world, per lb., 40c.

HICKS, the Grocer

Lookout Items

Lookout, August 21.

John Black, of Lamonte, is visit-
ing his sister, Mrs. June Cartwright.

Mrs. John Elmore, of California,
is visiting Dr. Mitchell and family.

Miss Fay McMullen is visiting
relatives in this neighborhood.

Misses Minnie and Maud Shaw
visited in Sedalia last week.

Misses Gladys and Naomi Baker
visited here and attended services
at Gilead church last week.

Mr. Hughes and the Kabler bro-
thers started yesterday for New
Mexico to hunt a location.

Lee Spears, of Texas, is here visit-
ing friends and relatives.

Lee Snapp, of Windsor, Georgie,
"Jimmy" and Anna Belle Lacey
visited their aunt, Mrs. E. G. Left-
wich Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Bab, one of the leading
ministers of the Christian denomi-
nation, is with us now, doing a good
work. He has already delivered
many excellent discourses, which are
now and will be in the years to
come very advantageous to the ones
who are so fortunate as to receive
and treasure them up the way that
such truths should be remembered.

Many ills come from impure blood.
Can't have pure blood with faulty di-
gestion, lazy liver and sluggish
bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters
strengthens stomach, bowels and
liver, and purifies the blood.

Itching, torturing skin eruptions,
disfigure, annoy, drive one wild.
Doans Ointment brings quick relief
and lasting cures. Fifty cents at any
drug store.

After a heavy meal, take a couple
of Doan's Regulets, and give your
stomach, liver and bowels the help
they will need. Regulets bring easy,
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2,000 MOORS ARE SLAIN

TERRIFIC SLAUGHTER IN THE
BATTLE IN AND AROUND
CASSA BLANCA.

THERE IS FIGHTING STILL GOING ON

Undeterred By Heavy Loss, Tribes-
men Renew Their Attack—War-
ships Are Bombarding
With Vengeance.

Tangier, Aug. 21.—It is officially
reported that Monday Mulai Hufid,
brother of the sultan, was proclaimed
sultan of Morocco at Marakesh.

This is regarded by French officers
at Cassablanca as entirely changing
the situation. They believe that Ma-
lai Hufid has been chosen as the
leader of anti-French sentiment, and
his proclamation as sultan means the
creation of an organized Moorish
army, against which a much larger
force and more energetic measures
will be necessary than for the mere
protection of Cassablanca.

French army sentiment naturally
desires an adventurous campaign,
which it hopes is now inevitable.

Two Thousand Are Slain.

Cassablanca, Aug. 21.—Two thou-
sand tribesmen were slain in battle
Monday. It is estimated that several
thousand others were wounded. The
slaughter was terrific.

Undaunted by the losses of Mon-
day, however, the tribesmen re-
newed their attack and the battle con-
tinues. Jewish carriers coming into
the city say the Moors are practi-
cally surrounding the city. They are
formed in a great semi-circle. Appar-
ently, their plan is to envelop the
city. The terrific manner in which
they are standing the heavy losses
has lent fear to those who have not
fled.

The warships are throwing shells
into the ranks of the Moors with ter-
rible effect, but the advancing
tribesmen are standing the fire. The
great shells fairly mow down the
fanatics, but they do not seem to
care.

Vice Admiral Phillibert is keeping
up the continual fire in hope of
checking the advance. Shells are
thrown from land as well as the sea.
The main body of the tribesmen is
directly back of the city. The divi-
sions, however, stretch far away on
either side.

A BUTTON GETS A DIVORCE

Cruel and Inhuman Treatment Cen-
ters About Stenographer.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 21.—Because
he asked his stenographer to change
the buttons in his vest one day El-
wood Austin Royer, one of the orga-
nizers of the cranberry trust in Amer-
ica, lost his wife in the divorce
courts.

Mr. Royer, who is one of the social
leaders of Des Moines, had a beauti-
ful wife. Judge Howe granted her
a divorce on a charge of cruel and
inhuman treatment.

Mrs. Royer claims that her hus-
band was altogether too confidential
in his relations to his confident sec-
retary. But Royer says that his wife
is jealous.

"I was in a hurry to join my wife
at dinner one day while she was at
the office," said Royer, "and I tossed
my white vest to the stenographer
and asked her to change the buttons
on it while I changed collars. Im-
agine my chagrin when my wife ar-
rived and grabbed the vest, say-
ing, 'Here, that is my job.' The
whole force saw it and I was greatly
humiliated."

Don't accept a cough remedy that
you may be told is just as
good as Kennedy's Laxative
Cough Syrup, because it isn't
just as good—there is quite a
difference. Kennedy's Laxative Cough
Syrup acts gently upon the bowels
and clears the whole system of
coughs and colds. It promptly re-
lieves inflammation of the throat and
allays irritation. Sold by Arlington
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Money—Money—Money

If you wish to borrow money on
real estate or if you wish to loan
money on real estate in either case
be sure and see me before doing busi-
ness.—G. M. Riddle, the real estate
and loan man. 310 Ohio street, over
Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

Thirty New Members.

The Business Men's association
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WILL ESTABLISH PAPER

R. S. Barrett, An American, is to In-
vade London.

New York, Aug. 21.—R. S. Barrett,
proprietor of the Daily Record, of the
City of Mexico, returned from Lon-
don yesterday on the steamer Fin-
land. After looking over the London
field he has decided to establish
there a daily newspaper along the
lines of the up-to-date American
dailies. He said that he would im-
port for his purpose reporters trained
in American journalism, and would
use an American press.

Mr. Barrett is an American, the
son of Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, who
is head of the Florence Crittenden
homes. He has conducted a news-
paper in the Mexican capital for
some years.

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Meeting of Midweek Club.

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The club prize was won by Mrs.
A. H. Lander and the guest prize by
Mrs. Will Tuley, of Springfield, Mo.
Dainty refreshments were served af-
ter the game.



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SEDALIA, MO., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MAY 20, 1907.			
RESOURCES	LIABILITIES		
Loans and discounts.....	\$893,412.82	Capital Stock.....	\$100,000.00
Overdrafts.....	4,706.74	Surplus and Profits.....	115,404.67
Bank Building.....	15,500.00	Circulation.....	100,000.00
Real Estate.....	1,450.00	Deposits.....	1,063,380.32
U. S. Bonds and Prem- iums.....	152,600.00		
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund.....	5,000.00		
Cash and Sight Ex- change.....	296,115.33		
Total.....	\$1,368,784.89	Total.....	\$1,368,784.89

The above statement is correct, W. H. Powell, Cashier.

E. F. YANCEY, President.
W. H. EVANS, Vice-Pres't.

K. R. BLAIR, Cashier.
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WOMEN'S WASH SKIRTS

We are placing on sale three distinct styles of women's Wash Skirts at prices that should effect an immediate clearance.

Women's White Linen Skirts—Made in five gore style, nicely finished with pleats and straps and cut full in a good range of sizes; a good value at the price—\$1.00.

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Laws and Wash Goods at Greatly Reduced Prices.

G. E. MESSERLY

DIDN'T SELL THE BOY DRUG

The Statement of a Former Sedalia Druggist at Joplin.

A former Sedalia druggist was written of as follows in Tuesday's Joplin Globe:

"The Farris Drug company never sold any drugs to Willie Morris," stated W. S. Farris, proprietor of the Eighth street drug store, to a reporter of the Globe last night. "The boy made several vain attempts to secure cocaine at our store. We positively refused to sell it to him."

Mr. Farris was arrested by the police yesterday morning upon information given by Willie Morris, aged 16, who was arrested early yesterday morning while in a drunken stupor, the result of using cocaine. The lad had been arrested before for using drugs. Mr. Farris is charged with selling cocaine without a prescription. He denies every statement made by Willie Morris.

Willie Morris is an object of pity. He is 16 years old, has been in school two years in his life, weighs eighty pounds, and is a sufferer from consumption and the victim of the drug habit, he says. Mr. Farris will probably be arraigned today before Police Judge Bourn, acting as executive justice of the peace. Mr. Farris was released upon bond yesterday. Morris is held.

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FEDERATION OF LABOR

WILL MAKE BITTER FIGHT ON SUIT OF MR. VAN CLEVE OF ST. LOUIS.

LABOR LEADERS ARE SURPRISED

They Have Violated No Law, President Gompers Says—What the Other Side Has to Say Regarding the Litigation.

Washington, Aug. 21.—The anti-boycott suit filed in the District of Columbia supreme court Monday by J. W. Van Cleve of St. Louis against the American Federation of Labor stirred up a hornet's nest Tuesday. The filing of the suit to enjoin the use of the boycott was coincident with the annual meeting of the Federation's executive council, which is in session here this week, and when the members had assembled for Tuesday's meeting legal summons was served upon each by an officer of the court, commanding them to appear within ten days and show cause why the proposed injunction should not issue.

The summons caused no little excitement, and many uncomplimentary things were said. Labor leaders consider the move as one prompted by the interests associated in the Manufacturers' association, of which Mr. Van Cleve is the head. Some say that it is a part of "Parryism" and that old fight against unionism boycott.

Will Fight Suit, Says Gompers.
Samuel Gompers, president of the federation, had this to say after the meeting of the council:

"We have decided to defend our position in the injunction proceedings in the courts to the fullest extent. We have violated no law, nor are we committing any crime. We are doing what we have a lawful right to do, and we will continue to do so."

The action of Mr. Van Cleve was denounced by several members of the council in less formal language as "another move of the 'Parryists,'" and an attempt to "stem the tide of organized labor."

In the report of yesterday's proceedings of the executive council, as given out by the secretary after the meeting, is the following reference to the Van Cleve suit, by which it is proposed to enjoin the labor unions from promulgating unfair and "we-don't-patronize" lists:

Labor Leaders to Secure Counsel.

"Considering the injunction gotten out against the executive council of the American Federation of Labor by Mr. Van Cleve and his associates, it was determined to communicate with some of the leading attorneys of the country, with a view of taking charge of the case, and correspondence was at once begun. The council further considered the action of the various employers' associations which met in New York Monday, and discussed the advisability of bringing criminal proceedings for conspiracy under the law. The advice of counsel is to be sought on the matter."

"All the members of the executive council are enjoined, notice being received from Judge Clabaugh, and it was decided to defend the cases in court to the fullest extent."

Van Cleve Discusses Suit.
New York, Aug. 21.—James W. Van Cleve, president of a St. Louis concern, had something to say yesterday in regard to the suit which his company has begun in the supreme court of the District of Columbia to restrain the American Federation of Labor from boycotting its goods. This is the first time that the federation itself has been attacked in the courts on account of the "boycott system," previous suits having been directed against local unions.

"My object in bringing this suit," said Mr. Van Cleve, "is to be allowed to manage the affairs of my factory in the way in which my experience

and my inclination tell me they ought to be managed, so long as I violate no contract with my workmen and assail no law of the land. The principle involved is the open shop, as distinguished from the closed shop."

Open Shop Cause of Boycott.
"What do you believe to have been the real inciting cause of the strike in your factory and the boycott which the American Federation of Labor has set up against you?"

"The open shop, I think, from what I have heard and seen, that I was singled out for attack, because I had always been a pronounced advocate of the open shop and equal right for all workers, non-union and union, and particularly because I am president of the National Association of Manufacturers and of the Citizens' Industrial Association of St. Louis, both of which organizations stand out for the open shop."

Mr. Van Cleve was asked if it was not true that he had insisted on a ten hour instead of a nine-hour day in his factory.

"It is," said he, "because it was necessary for us to run those hours; since our employees were paid by the piece and not by the day, it enable them to earn just so much more money. But the unions insisted not only that the men should not earn this extra money, but also that each man's output should be limited, his earning power restricted, and our output restricted. We don't want men who will limit their capacity in this way."

Workmen Are Satisfied.
"Did the men present any other grievances?"

"None whatever. My workers have had very few grievances at any time, and these, when submitted, have been settled amicably, in accordance with the contract existing between the Stove Founders' National Defense association and the labor unions whose members we employ."

"You say you belong to an organization that has an agreement with unions. How, then, does it happen that you are boycotted by the Molders' union?"

"I have no trouble with the Iron Molders' union. The boycott has been set up, not at the instance of the Iron Molders' union, but of the Brotherhood of Foundry Employes, an organization that has, so far as I am aware, never had a member working in my factory. Moreover, the boycott has been established contrary to the rules which the American Federation of Labor has set up for itself in proclaiming formal boycotts. It is the federation's rule that matters of this kind must be thoroughly investigated by officers of the federation. No such investigation has ever been made. Nor have I ever been asked by anybody representing the federation as to any facts in this case."

Sought Immediate Action.

Mr. Van Cleve said that he had been able to think of no effective way of combatting the boycott except through a federal court injunction. "If the unions," he added, "were responsible bodies which could be forced to live up to their contracts and pledges, I would have brought suit in an equity court long ago."

"Why was the action taken directly to the supreme court of the District of Columbia?"

"For two reasons. I wanted to get a final settlement at the earliest possible moment. A suit against the federation and its officers had to be brought in the locality in which its

headquarters are situated, and in which they reside."

Reputation Damaged.
"To what extent," he was asked, "has your company actually suffered from the boycott?"

"The damage," he replied, "cannot be put in terms of dollars and cents. The labor unions are conspiring to commit greater crimes than if they broke into the office of the company and robbed its safe. They are attempting to rob the company of a reputation which it has built up by sixty years of service."

"What percentage of your workmen have you found in favor of the boycott and similar aggression?"
"Every workman in every department of my factory, union and non-union, is again this boycott upon the products of his own labor."

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Rev. J. M. Rudy and family, Hugh Lawrence and Harry Collins and Wallace May left this morning for a week's fishing visit on the Osage river.

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THE FRIENDLY WHALE

A fore-castle story-teller once gave the men of his watch the following adventure, and although no one doubted his veracity, I afterward looked up the records and found him correct:

"It was in the year 1846," he said, "that I was bound to the ivory coast on the English brig Plowboy, Capt. Scott, commander. She was a dry craft, well found, but very slow, and although those were risky days along the heathen coasts owners of crafts were stingy about arming them for protection. We had two old six pounders, which had been purchased at a sale of condemned ordnance, and ten or a dozen muskets and cutlasses of but little value."

"The captain was informed that a French ship had been plundered and sunk between there and the tropic only two weeks before, and that two or three suspicious sail were cruising along the coast. We felt brave enough as we sailed to the south with those two old cannon on deck, and the wish was expressed time and again that we might fall in with a pirate."

"We got light and baffling winds along the Barbary coast, but were nearing the tropic, when, one afternoon an hour before sunset, a strange sail was seen standing out from the coast to cut us off. She was also a brig, and from the very first sight of her there was no doubt in our minds that she was a pirate. We altered our course a few points to the west, and then began to get ready for her."

"We had no sooner set about loading the guns than it was found that our cannon balls were all too large for the bore. Not one of them could be made to fit."

"The stranger walked up on us at a rapid rate, and when darkness came on he was not more than four miles away. Our captain went into the rigging with his glass for a long squint, and when he came down he called us aft and said there was no longer room to doubt. The stranger was a pirate, and there was no hope of escaping him. At that very moment the wind, which was off land, began to fall, and ten minutes later we hadn't enough to blow a feather."

"We could no longer see the stranger, owing to the darkness. We knew that he must have lost the wind first, and that he was all of three miles away. If the calm held through the night he would have to attack in boats, if at all, and we then stood some show of beating him off."

"Midnight came, and we had heard nothing. The fog was now very thick, and every man was listening intently to catch the first sound, when all of a sudden there was a terrific crash, followed by shouts and shrieks. There was another crash, more shouts, and then a splash in the water as if an iceberg had rolled over. In a

minute or two we got a swell which lifted the brig like a cork and kept her dancing for three or four minutes. When it subsided the captain and mate agreed it had been caused by a whale breaching. Both had sailed in whaling ships, and they asserted that nothing else could have caused the commotion."

"From midnight until dawn every man stood at his post. When daylight came we saw the pirate brig about two miles off. Between the two vessels was a lot of wreck stuff which the captain's glass made out to be the shattered remnants of several small boats. Only four men could be observed aboard the brig, and as the captain was watching them they got into a fight. One was killed, one ran below, and the two men left on deck got a white cloth from the cabin and sent it aloft in place of a flag."

"In about half an hour we got the wind and ran down to her, lowered a boat and went aboard. I went in the boat, and followed the mate on deck, where we were welcomed by two men who spoke English. It was a queer case, as you will agree."

"One of the men was an Englishman, the sole survivor of an English vessel wrecked on the Barbary coast five years before. The other was an American who had deserted his ship at the Cape Verde islands three years previously, and while making a voyage in a coaster had been captured and spared by the vessel he was now on."

"On the previous night, when the wind went down, they got their boat and towed the brig about a mile. The entire crew, with the exception of the four men, then armed themselves, and the boats set off to attack us. What followed could be pretty safely guessed at. The four boats were in company when the whale struck at least one of them as he came up. He must have thrown this boat many feet into the air. He might have fallen upon the others or shattered them with a rap of his flukes, but that he destroyed them the evidence was before us."

"Not a man had escaped, and instead of being captured and made to walk the plank, as we had reason to expect, we had turned about and captured the piratical craft without firing a shot. She was a fine prize, I can tell you, having over \$20,000 worth of plunder aboard, besides being a better vessel than our own. We carried her down to Sierra Leone, where she was delivered over and passed upon, and every one of us got a comfortable lump of prize money from the adventure. She was an English brig which had been captured five years before under Cape Blanco, and recorded as lost in a gale."

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Look!
I want all old meters either to buy or repair.—Carl P. Werner.

Amusements

"Fatty Felix" Coming.

The new musical comedy "Fatty Felix," which will be produced at Wood's opera house Sunday night August 25, is the latest cartoon comedy to be brought before the public. The title "Fatty Felix" originated from the brain of the funny cartoonist, McDougall, and has been heralded before the American public as a leading cartoon and comic story by all of the dailies in the large cities.

The music is of the whistling variety and the songs are the best. The title role is in the hands of the well-known comedian, Fred Waters; who is ably assisted by a cast of all-star talent.

A Great Institution.

"What are your views on the tariff?" inquired the interviewer. "The tariff," answered Senator Sorghum, "is a great institution. Whenever you want to impress your constituents with your profound wisdom you can always use it as a text for saying something that nobody understands."—Washington Star.

Envy.

Uncle George—So you're just five years old to-day?
Tommy—Yes, sir.
Uncle George—Well, well! I'm 50—think of that!
Tommy—My! I wish I was; then I'd get 50 cents fur my birthday 'stead of five."

The Great Uncompiled Lexicon.
Johnson was compiling the first list of words with meanings. "But," we inquired, "why don't you get up a dictionary of the things people didn't mean?"
Glimpsing the enormity of the task, he incontinently fled.

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PERSONALS

Drink Sweet Springs water.
W. J. Sears went to Payette today.
L. L. Price went to Windsor this morning.
Arthur Payne went to Boonville today to visit.
Harry Hawkins went to Windsor this morning.
G. N. Arnold made a business visit to Dresden today.
L. M. Couch returned to Kansas City this afternoon.
J. W. Moller went to St. Louis on the noon train today.
E. O. Hanstrough left this morning for Tipton to visit.
Lynn Hefritz left this afternoon for a visit in Colorado.
Leo Bloess was a passenger to Kansas City this morning.
H. H. Kroenke returned this morning from Clifton City.
J. R. McAllister went to Columbia last night to attend the fair.
Miss Mattie Montgomery is home from a visit at Syracuse, Mo.
Lieutenant R. O. Mason was here from Kansas City this afternoon.
Ed Border, ex-policeman, went to Tipton this afternoon on business.
Mrs. R. P. Boehme is visiting relatives at Jefferson City for a week.
Green McFarland returned last evening from a visit to Kansas City.
Mrs. W. A. McVey has as her guest Mrs. Fred Watts, of Springfield, Mo.
W. D. Owens, circulator for the Democrat-Sentinel, is bedfast with fever.
Mrs. B. Hakan, of Kansas City, is

here visiting the family of J. Waldman.
Jesse England returned last night from visiting his mother at Windsor.
Mrs. W. H. Hall leaves this afternoon for Kansas City to join her husband.
Miss Loretta Lydick returned this morning from a few days' visit at St. Louis.
Prosecuting Attorney Embury, of Montauk county, was a visitor here yesterday.
Dr. Guy Tittsworth and Dr. Louf-burrow are home from a brief visit at Windsor.
Misses Clara and Amelia Heller went to Boonville this morning to attend the fair.
Mrs. C. M. Sheets and son left this afternoon for a two months' visit at Colorado Springs.
C. W. Flower left on the noon train today for a three weeks' business visit in New York.
Lou Bernstein, who has been visiting at St. Louis, left there today for a visit in Boonville.
Charles Horan and Misses Katie Meyers and Sallie O'Bannon are here from a visit at Tipton.
Mrs. E. B. Farley and family leave tomorrow morning for a visit of several weeks at Denver, Col.
Miss Florence Helm returned home to Hannibal this morning, after visiting Miss Georgia Sturges.
Misses Rae Kingsbaker and Carrie Bachman returned this morning from a brief visit at Warrensburg.
Mrs. D. C. Walker and children returned this morning from a visit at Chesterfield and St. Louis.
George Wells, of Gallon, Ohio, is here for a two days' visit with his brother-in-law, John Bonker.
Jasper Harman and cousin are home from a pleasant visit with relatives at Franklin Junction.
Marion Kennedy, employed at Grammar's Palace of Sweets, is enjoying a few days' vacation.
Mrs. George McClure and two daughters and son left this afternoon for an extended visit in Colorado.
Miss Irene Broadbuss is over from Puncot, visiting her brother, Dr. B. E. Broadbuss, and other friends.
Will Telan has been called to Kansas City by a message apprising him of the critical illness of his mother.
Mrs. Frank Farley and daughter, Miss Maude Bowers, returned to their home at Sedalia Monday after-

noon. * * * Miss Edna McFarland is visiting friends in Sedalia for a few days this week.—Warrensburg Star.
Mrs. J. W. Harman and daughter, Miss Linnie, leave tomorrow for Franklin Junction to visit relatives.
Misses Georgia Sturges, Maud Miller and Helen Letts left this morning for a visit with friends at Boonville.

Mrs. Joseph Severns and family, of 228 South Stewart avenue, left last night for Sumner, Ill., to visit relatives.
Mrs. J. E. Wyckoff and children, of Saybrook, Ill., arrived here this afternoon to visit W. M. Alspaugh and family.

C. C. Lawson and wife, R. D. Lawson and W. A. Nichols left today for a visit at towns on the Warsaw branch.

Mrs. Fred Hess returned home to Osawatimie, Kan., today, after visiting Mrs. William Dameron and family here.

Miss Maud Willis and Miss Louise McCleverty, the latter of St. Louis, left today for a visit with friends at Windsor.

Mrs. Grace B. McCoy, formerly of East Broadway this city, is now at home at 415 Southwest Boulevard, Rosedale, Kan.

Col. J. West Goodwin went to Warrensburg this afternoon to visit. B. F. Prigmore is here from Sweet Springs today.

John Graham, deputy marshal of Jackson county returned there this afternoon, after attending the funeral of H. M. Vance.

W. W. DeWar, auditor for the Bell telephone company, returned to Kansas City this afternoon, after a business visit here.

L. B. Hudson, a horse and mule dealer of Louisville, Ky., went to Kansas City this afternoon, after a business visit here.

R. C. Combs went to Kansas City this afternoon, accompanying that far his family, who are en route to Memphis, Mo., to visit.

Will A. Keel, who operates a lino-type on the Times-Democrat at Muskogee, I. T., is here for a few days' visit with old time friends.

Mrs. Snorgrass returned home to Tipton today, after visiting John Wrightman and family. She was accompanied by Fred Wrightman.

Mrs. S. T. Harkey, of Tupelo, Miss., and children, arrived here this afternoon to visit Mrs. Harkey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patrick.

Mrs. A. B. Dempsey and daughter, Miss Abbie, returned last evening from a delightful visit of three weeks at Staunton and other points in Illinois.

Miss Elizabeth Norman, a trained nurse at Maywood hospital left noon today for a two weeks' pleasure visit in Mississippi and then in Colorado.

Mrs. G. W. Bradfield went to Knob Noster this morning to accompany home her daughter, Miss Bess, who has been visiting there for three weeks.

Miss Gertrude Englund left this morning for a two weeks' visit in Kansas City. While there she will pick up the latest styles in fall millinery.

Advance Agent Dean, of the LeBour Carnival Co., arrived here from Boonville this afternoon to arrange the preliminaries for the carnival to be given here.

Dr. J. E. Mitchell, Joe L. Cartwright and N. T. Elmore returned this morning from St. Louis, where they had cattle on the market yesterday, realizing satisfactory prices.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. O'Brien, who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Edgar F. Jones on a trip to the northern lakes, have returned and report having had a truly delightful outing.

Mrs. Katherine McGee and daughter, Miss Katie, returned yesterday afternoon from a three weeks' visit at Montgomery, Ind. They returned home to Spring Fork later in the day.

Mrs. J. K. Merrifield, mother of Trainmaster Walter Merrifield, of the Missouri Pacific, passed through here on the noon train today, on her way home from visiting in Kansas City.

Mrs. A. J. Jacobs left for Weleetka, I. T., last night for a week's visit with relatives. Mrs. Jacobs and her daughter, Alberta, will then proceed to Galveston and other points in Texas for an extended sojourn.

Miss Catherine Blackwell, formerly a trained nurse at Maywood hospital, who has been visiting in Ohio, will arrive here next week, on her way to California. She will visit friends here for several days.

E. R. Simpson, of Memphis, Tenn., returned last afternoon from a business visit at Kansas City, and is the guest of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Yost. He was accompanied by his brother, C. O. Simpson, of Birmingham, Ala.

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The Windows of Repeating Station Broken and Men Had Narrow Escape from Death—Appeal to Prescott for Aid.

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 21.—An armed mob attacked the office of the Postal Telegraph company at Ashfork, Ariz., yesterday, and broke every window in the building with a rain of bullets.

The lives of four of the employees were endangered, but no one was injured.

The first dispatch from Ashfork stated that arrangements were being made to run a special engine to Prescott, the county seat of Yavapai county, to bring the sheriff and deputies to quell the riot.

Vice President Nally, of the Postal company, wired from New York that he had put the matter up to the federal authorities at Washington, and Superintendent Lewis, of this district, wired to Governor Kibbey, calling on him to protect the lives of the employees and the property of the company at Ashfork.

Governor Kibbey responded that he would act promptly.

BEEF CROUTONS A DAINTY.

Savory Flavoring is the Most Important Part of Dish.

The secret of success in making beef croutons lies in the savory flavoring. Fruit juices play a large part in their preparation. Here is a timely recipe for a tasty meat dish: Mince a pint of cold meat very fine, with a small shallot and the grated rind of an orange. Season with salt, pepper and a pinch of grated nutmeg. Put a cup of port wine over the fire and, when hot, add a few teaspoons of brown sauce or good gravy, and a dash of catsup. Finally turn in the minced and flavored meat and simmer gently for five minutes; add a teaspoon of lemon juice and boil up once more. Set back on the stove to keep hot. Cut half-inch slices from a medium dry loaf of bread and shape with a tin heated-shaped cutter. Melt butter in a frying pan, fry the bread to a golden brown, drain on paper and arrange on a hot platter. Heap the minced meat on these, garnish with chopped, hard-boiled egg, or serve on each crouton, forming a nest in the meat, a poached egg.

PACKING THE LUNCH BASKET.

Newspaper Not Proper Thing to Wrap the Eatables In.

When it is not expedient to carry a basket or small box, at least see that the eatables are daintily wrapped—not promiscuously jumbled into a piece of newspaper. One is surprised and sometimes almost disgusted to see the method employed by many women who are fastidious in other respects, and it is amazing that they eat with any relish at all when bread, cake, pickles, a banana and possibly a cold boiled potato are tied in newspaper without other wrapping. Every one should know that strong chemicals are employed in the manufacture of paper, together with rags and refuse, and it is not a cheerful thought that the things we eat come in direct contact with them for several hours. The moisture from the viands causes more or less ink to be absorbed, and, while not necessarily harmful, it is not appetizing, to say the least.—Home Magazine.

Shoulder of Lamb Grilled. A shoulder of lamb is excellent roasted, but is often preferred cooked in the following manner: Score it about an inch long and rub it over with a little butter and the yolk of an egg, then dip it into sifted cracker crumbs. Sprinkle over salt, pepper and sweet herbs, roast until a light brown. This is good with plain gravy, but better with the following sauce:

Take a quarter of a pint of drip plums from the meat, mix it with the same quantity of water. Place on the fire. When it boils up thicken with a little flour and water mixed. Add a tablespoonful of tomato catsup; season with salt and pepper.

English Meat Pie. As a way of using left-over meat try an old-fashioned "English meat pie." Chop cold beef finely, put in a deep baking dish a layer of the meat, strew lightly with bread crumbs, season highly with salt, pepper, butter and a few drops of onion juice; repeat the process till the dish is full or your meat used up. Pour over it a cup of stock or gravy, or, lacking these, hot water with a teaspoon of butter melted in it; on top a good layer of bread crumbs should be put and seasoned and dotted with butter. Cover and bake half an hour; remove the cover and brown.

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Chicago.—President J. T. Harahan, of the Illinois Central railroad, enjoys the distinction of having traveled over more miles of railroad than any other man in the United States, if not in the world. In 35 years he has traveled 2,281,250 miles, and during that time has been in only one accident—a small collision in which he was merely shaken and not injured.

For 15 years he traveled an average of 150 miles a day, and for 20 years an average of 200 miles a day. Had Mr. Harahan kept traveling in a straight line around the world for the past 40 years, covering the same distance he has in fitting from place to place in this country, he would have circled the globe 92 times.

President Harahan is known to railroad men all over the country as being "extremely close to the rails"—more so, perhaps, than any other railroad official. That is to say, he is an inveterate inspector of the tracks of the big system of which he is the head.

"I might say I know nearly every rail in the Illinois Central system intimately," he said, recently. "With a good roadbed and well-maintained rails accidents on railroads are reduced to a minimum. I make it a rule to inspect the tracks personally, as far as I am able, and I find the knowledge thus obtained very valuable at times. I spend about nine months of each year on the road attending to multitudinous affairs, as well as inspecting the roadbed."

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Cavalry chargers vary from 15 to 16 hands in height, and sharp rules have been laid down about their shape, action and treatment. There are regular schools where the raw four-legged recruit is trained, and his education embraces the fearless swimming of deep and wide rivers, where possibly the enemy have destroyed the bridges. It is extremely interesting to see a thousand four-legged recruits drawn up in a ring around the instructor, who opens the proceedings with a sharp rattle from an army revolver, writes William G. Fitzgerald, in the Circle. The animals are taught to gallop fearlessly up to a line or square of infantry who are blazing away with their rifles, of course loaded only with blank cartridges. Lastly comes a charge upon batteries of quick-firing cannon. It is worth noting that, when smokeless powder came into general use, it was found that thousands of horses which would face without flinching the smoke or guns using black powder balked and shied at the sinister flash and roar of cordite and melinite. There appears to be as much individuality among horses as among men. Some take the flash and report very quietly, and are passed on to more severe trials, while others rear and try to bolt in abject terror.

KAISER'S PHONOGRAPH CLOCK.

Novel Timepiece Reminds Him of Day's Engagements.

Berlin.—It is not generally known the kaiser possesses the most unique clock in the world, a so-called phonograph clock made by a German inventor. The clock reminds the emperor of business and other engagements. When the kaiser, for example, wishes to be at the chancellor's house at ten o'clock in the morning, he speaks into the phonograph the night before, which moves a pointer and is called at the hour indicated. The phonograph graciously announces: "Your majesty, it is now time to call a carriage and go to Chancellor von Buelow's." Moreover, when the kaiser is at breakfast the clock tells him a dozen or more things which he spoke into the phonograph the night before so as not to forget them.

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WANTS TROOPS AS GUARD

Telegraph Companies Ask U. S. Authorities for Military Protection.

Washington, Aug. 21.—Representatives of telegraph companies called upon General Bell, chief of staff of the United States army, in relation to the attack upon non-union operators at Ashfork, Arizona, last night. They requested the national government to provide a military guard at that point to protect its operators. General Bell pointed out that their recourse is to apply to the governor of the territory, and if he decided that troops are necessary it would be his duty to call upon the president, who, he said, would without doubt honor the request.

Mrs. Davis' Home Burned.

The one-room cottage of Mrs. Ella Davis, an aged negro woman residing on North Osage avenue, with its contents, was destroyed by fire, started from an unknown origin, at about 10 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Davis, who lost both feet some years ago, after having the members frozen, was out of the house at the time.

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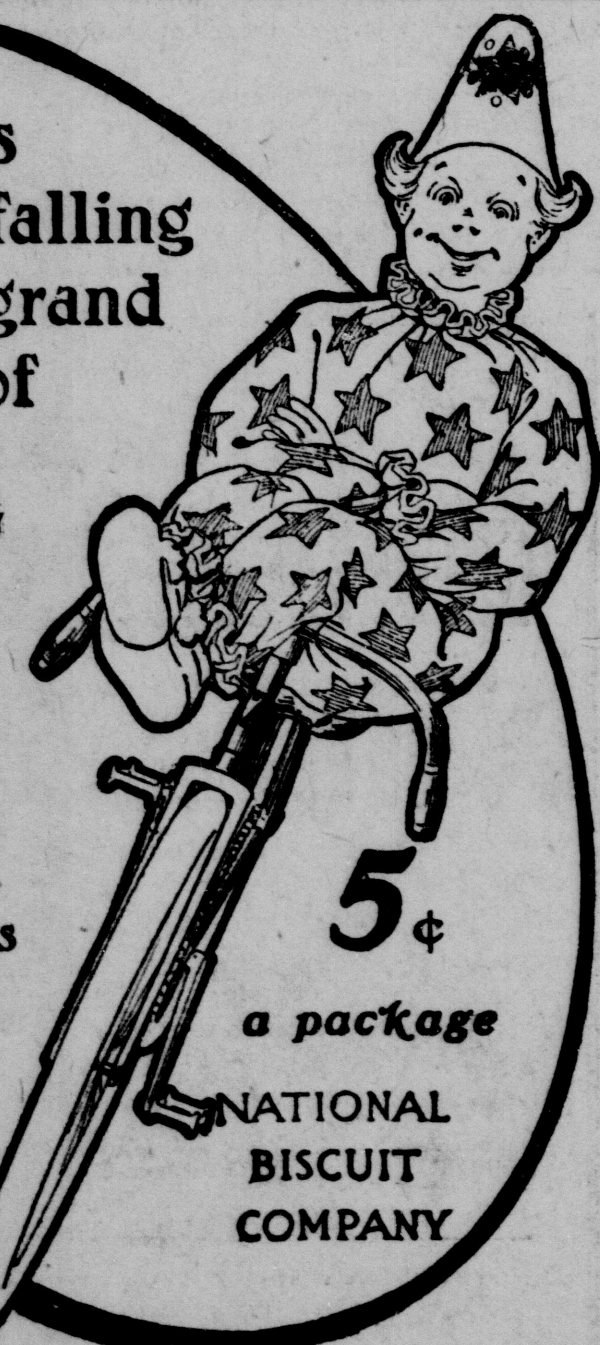
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value of an average ocean liner's
cargo. The steamship Graugense re-
cently brought 4,369 cases of rubber.
On a basis of \$500 per case this alone
was worth \$2,184,500. This is outside
the value of the skins, nuts and cocoa
on board. Sometimes the ships bring
egret plumes that are worth a for-
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QUALITY IN BILLY ED-
WARDS' MAKE-UP.

"BOUNCER" AT HOFFMAN HOUSE

Fought Round After Round With a
Broken Jaw—Achieved Popu-
larity as World's Cham-
pion Lightweight.

Billy Edwards, the old-time pugil-
ist, who died in Brooklyn recently,
was especially known for his game-
ness in a contest fought many years
ago, when he fought round after
round with a broken jaw. For many
years before his death Edwards was
known to patrons of the Hoffman
house, in New York, where he was
employed as a "bouncer." He was
also long a physical trainer and
boxing instructor among wealthy
young men given to athletics. But
it was as the world's champion light-
weight that he achieved national
and almost international popularity.

Billy Edwards was born in West
Pirbright, England, December 21,
1844. He was 5 feet 4 1/2 inches in
his stockings. In February, 1868, he
accepted a challenge from Sam Col-
lyer, and fought at Cherry Point, Va.,
August 24, 1868, Edwards winning
in forty-seven rounds, lasting one
hour and eighteen minutes. Collyer
then offered to fight Edwards at 128
pounds (the previous match being
at 124 pounds), but Billy refused,
and so anxious was Sam to meet his
old antagonist he waived the 128-
pound question and consented to
meet him again at the old weight of
124 pounds and \$1,000 a side. They
came together on Mystic Island
March 2, 1870, and Sam was defeated
the second time, the battle lasting
forty-seven minutes, in which time
forty rounds were fought.

Edwards was next matched to fight
the "Bold Hero," Tim Collins, for
\$1,000 a side and the championship.
They met at Cold Springs, N. Y., on
May 24, 1870, but the police stopped
the proceedings. Next day they
fought at East New York ninety-two
rounds, lasting two hours and fifteen
minutes, when Collins had the better
of it, and, darkness coming on, the
referee declared the fight a "draw."
They returned to New York the
same night, when they were arrested,
tried for the offense, and sentenced
to one year's imprisonment and a
fine of \$1,000 each. After serving
seven months they were liberated
and the fine remitted.

For awhile after his release Ed-
wards traveled about with some of
the profession, when, on his return
to New York, he made a match with
"George Sheldon's Unknown" to
fight at 124 pounds for \$1,000 a side
and the lightweight championship.
The unknown turned out to be Ar-
thur Chambers, and they met at
Walpole Island, Canada, September
4, 1872. Chambers won by an al-
leged foul in twenty-six rounds in
one hour and forty minutes. The
decision of the referee in this battle
was altogether wrong, and it is not
far from the truth to say that Billy
was robbed out of his stakes. He
then made another match with
Chambers, wagering \$2,000 to Cham-
ber's \$1,000, but it fell through, and
Edwards went to England. There
he offered to fight anybody at 126
pounds, but the only result of the
challenge was a glove contest with
Tom Fawcett, the lightweight cham-
pion, for \$250. This took place at
Pirbright March 11, 1873, and was
won finally by Edwards in forty-nine
rounds.

Once again he met his old av-
ersary, Sam Collyer, on August 11,
1874, at Mill Creek, W. Va., winning
the championship and \$2,000. Since
then he has seldom been seen in
public.

"We never repent of eating too
little," was one of the ten rules of life
of Thomas Jefferson, president of the
United States, and the rule applies
to every one without exception dur-
ing this hot weather because it is
hard for food, even in small quanti-
ties, to be digested when the blood
is at high temperature. At this sea-
son we should eat sparingly and prop-
erly. We should also help the stom-
ach as much as possible by the use of
a little Kodol for indigestion and
Dyspepsia, which will rest the stom-
ach by digesting the food itself. Sold
by Arlington Pharmacy.

Mr. Bryan Escaped Injury.

Belvidere, Ill., Aug. 21.—William
J. Bryan escaped injury yesterday
when two coaches of the Chicago &
Northwestern train, which was bear-
ing him to Rockford, were derailed
near Belvidere when the baggage car
took an open switch.

Classified Ads

WANTED

Wanted—Engineer and separator
man. Apply 320 West Sixth street.

Wanted—Gentle driving mare for
family use. 714 E. Broadway.

Wanted—A young lady bookkeeper.
Address "Bookkeeper, care Democrat-
Sentinel."

Wanted—Position as bookkeeper.
Am hard of hearing, over 60, but ac-
tive. Address S. H. J., this office.

Wanted—Horse-shoer and black-
smith. Apply to Fisher shop, West
Second street.

Wanted—Fifty carpenters at the
new Frisco shops, Springfield, Mo.
Transportation furnished.—The Ar-
nold Construction Co.

Wanted—Young man about 18 years
old; must be willing to work and be
well recommended. Apply F. W.
Woolworth & Co., 230 Ohio street.

Lost

Lost—Small pocketbook containing
\$30 and some small change, in South-
west Sedalia. Return to this office
for reward.

The Oldest Text-Book.

Within the last few years a revolu-
tion has been accomplished at Ox-
ford which ought really to affect the
mind of the nation more than the dif-
ference between Lord Curzon and
Lord Roseberry, says the London
Spectator. A text-book has been dis-
carded which was already venerable
for its antiquity at the beginning of
the Christian era. Needless to say,
we are referring to Euclid's "Elem-
ents." For what other text-book
ever had such a run as that? It has
been accepted ever since its pub-
lication, which was in the reign of
the first Ptolemy (B. C. 323-285). No
writer has ever become so identified
with a science as Euclid with geome-
try. The nearest approaches are to
be found in the relation of Aristotle
to logic and of Adam Smith to polit-
ical economy.

A Label That Hurts.

They stopped to read a large sign
engraved in stone in front of a
home for women in Harlem. It read
like this:

HOME FOR RESPECTABLE, AGED
AND INDIGENT FEMALES.

"They call it indignant females up-
here," said the girl as they walked
on. "They have to pay a little some-
times to get in there."
"I should think they would call it
indignant," remarked her friend, the
woman. "It's bad enough to be
called respectable, but they'd have to
pay me to live behind a sign that
called me an 'aged and indigent fe-
male.'"

Work of Popular Novelist.

Rider Haggard is a very rapid work-
er with his pen. "She," for instance,
was written in six weeks from the
time Mr. Haggard began it till it was
ready for the publishers. He is also
exceedingly thorough in his prepara-
tions for writing a book. He makes
a habit of spending months among the
scenes in which his plot is to be laid.
But having obtained the material, he
writes at fever heat, not sketching
out the plot beforehand, but writing
a chapter as it comes to him, and let-
ting the plot develop itself as he goes
along.

Her Modesty.

"Ah! my love," sighed the ardent
lover, "if you only knew how beauti-
ful you are."

"You mustn't speak of it," protested
the modest girl. "I don't want to
know."

"Why not?"
"Because it would make me too con-
fident."—Catholic Standard and
Times.

The Retort Courteous.

"Is any one waiting on you?" asked
the haughty saleslady, finally con-
descending to notice the shopping per-
son.

"I'm afraid not," replied the latter.
"My husband was—I left him outside
—but I'm afraid he's become disgust-
ed and gone home."—Catholic Stand-
ard and Times.

All at Sea.

"Gentlemen," recently said a Ger-
man professor, who was showing to
his students the patients in the asyl-
um, "this man suffers from delirium
tremens. He is a musician. It is well
known that blowing a brass instru-
ment affects the lungs and throat in
such a way as to create a great thirst,
which has to be allayed by persistent
indulgence in strong drink. Hence,
in course of time, the disease you
have before you."

Turning to the patient, the profes-
sor asked:
"What instrument do you blow?"
And the answer was:
"The violoncello."—Illustrated Bits

FOR RENT

For Rent—A furnished room at 300
W. 3rd.

For Rent—One front room, furnis-
hed, with bath. 406 W. Third.

For Rent—Five unfurnished rooms,
city water; \$12. 112 East Seventh
street.

For Rent—Two large front rooms,
furnished for housekeeping. 903 E.
Fourth street.

For Rent—One of six new cottages,
Eleventh and Barrett avenue, \$10.—
C. C. Lawson, Ilgenfritz building.

FOR SALE

For Sale—Good second-hand light
surrey, cheap. Apply Slinger store.

For Sale—3 bed room suits, 3 rugs,
1 carpet, 1 box couch, cheap if sold at
once. 120 W. 5th st.

For Sale—House and lot near M.
K. & T. shops; will take team or
horses and wagon as part payment.
Apply 1915 South Grand avenue.

ONE OF WOMEN'S CHARMS.

Sense of Reserve Said to Add Much
to Attractiveness.

A woman, especially to be attractive,
must preserve a sense of reserve; she
must, so to speak, keep up a certain
amount of mystery about herself.
There is a folklore tale of a woman
who, finding her married life unhappy,
went to a white witch for a charm
against the trouble. She received a
flask filled with a colorless liquid,
which she was directed to take and
hold in her mouth whenever she was
disposed to quarrel with her husband.
She obeyed directions, and, delighted
with the effect of the charm, went
back to the witch for a fresh supply
when that was exhausted. "The liquid
was merely water," said the wise
woman. "The virtue of the remedy
consists simply in holding your tongue
in keeping back angry answers." To
adopt the rule, says Woman's Life,
once given to a gushing girl by a
friend who knew the world, "Never
speak of yourself, and never say any-
thing which is uncalculated for," would
at first seem likely to make Trappists
of all the world; yet it is to be ques-
tioned whether, after all, the advice
was not wise. There always are peo-
ple who like to talk, whose favor is to
be won by interested listening, and
good listeners are rare.

Reward for Dynamiters.

Jefferson City, Mo., Aug. 21.—Gov.
Folk has offered a reward of \$200
for the arrest of the persons who, on
the night of July 4, blew up the store
of A. F. Hall, in Camden county.
Dynamite was the explosive used.

Williams' Kidney Pills.

Have you neglected your kidneys?
Have you overworked your nervous
system and caused trouble with your
kidneys and bladder? Have you pains
in loins, side, back, groins and blad-
der? Have you a flabby appearance
of the face, especially under the eyes?
Too frequent a desire to pass urine?
If so, Williams' Kidney Pills will cure
you. Sample free. By mail, 50c.—
Williams' Med. Co., Props., Cleveland
Ohio. W. E. P. and Drug Co.

PILES—Dr. Williams' Indian Pile
Ointment will cure Piles and
Bleeding. It absorbs the tumors
always the itching at once, acts
as a positive, gives instant re-
lief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Oint-
ment is prepared for Piles and Itch-
ing of the private parts. Every box
warranted. By druggists, by mail on re-
ceipt of price, 50 cents and \$1.00. WILLIAMS'
MANUFACTURING CO., Props., Cleveland, Ohio.

For Sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

R. C. DOLPH & CO.

The Cash Grocers
No. 114 West Main Street
Q. C. 381. Bell 663.

Four Stores—114 W. Main, 537 E. Fifth;
811 W. Main; 5th & Engineer.

THIS WEEK WE OFFER YOU:
15 lbs. best granulated sugar.....\$1
10 lbs. good roasted coffee.....\$1
9 lbs. dry salt meat.....\$1
9 lbs. pure lard.....\$1
5 lbs. pure lard.....\$1
6 bars Echo or Old Country Soap.....25c
5 gallons gasoline.....85c
5 gallons Sunlight coal oil.....55c
5 lbs. bulk starch.....25c
1 box fresh honey.....15c
1 lb. fancy shredded coconut.....20c
2 cans red salmon.....25c
1 lb. broken macaroni.....5c
Compare these prices with any
other store in Sedalia and see if they
are not all bargains. We guarantee
the quality of the groceries we sell,
and we know our prices are bed-rock.

FRANCESCA'S
ANSWER

By CARROLL WATSON RANKIN.

(Copyright, by Joseph B. Bowles.)

"Let me see," said Francesca, count-
ing on the prettiness of fingers, "does
that make 28, or 29?"

"Twenty-nine what?" asked bewil-
dered Bob.

"Twenty-nine proposals," said Fran-
cesca, showing a dimple. Francesca's
dimples were a sight worth seeing.

"Have 29 men proposed to you?"
demanded Bob, with indignation writ-
ten upon every feature.

"You flatter me, Bobbie, but no such
luck. I've been singularly unfortunate
in the matter of declarations, when
one takes all my charms into consid-
eration. You'll admit I have charms,
won't you, Bob?"

"Yes, I'll admit that. More than
your share into the bargain. But
about those proposals?"

"Just this: One man, Mr. Robert
Wharton, by name, has offered me his
hand and heart 28 or 29 times—I really
can't remember which."

"Oh," said Wharton, greatly re-
lieved, "is that all?"

"All?" mimicked the girl. "Isn't
that enough? Twenty-nine times in
three weeks! At first, you know, I
used to write them all down in my
diary. Then I made ditto marks. Fi-
nally I left it out altogether, it got so
monotonous. If you would just change
the form—"

"Perhaps I would better stop alto-
gether. You don't appear to appre-
ciate your blessings."

"Well," said Francesca, smiling de-
murely, "it would be more exciting, I
confess, to have some one else do it
for a change. Dr. Marsh, for instance,
or Mr. Skagg. Skagg is such a lovely
name. I should love to be Mrs. Horat-
io P. Skagg. Think how well it would
look on my cards."

"Well," said Wharton, stiffly, "you
may be Mrs. Skagg, for all I care."
"What," queried his tormenter,
clapping her pretty hands, "has it
come to this? Wouldn't you truly
care?"

"No, I wouldn't. I'm just as tired
of proposing to you as you are of hav-
ing me do it. I'll never trouble you again."

"Oh, what a rash threat! You know
you'll do it to-morrow; but I shall cer-
tainly smile upon Mr. Skagg."

"Then I'll devote myself to Miss
Marshall. I may even propose to her."

"Just from force of habit, I suppose.
You should certainly be able to do it
to perfection by this time. You've cer-
tainly had a great deal of practice."

"May I have this wait?"

Wharton and Francesca, in the dark
corner of the veranda, started violent-
ly.

"Oh, certainly, Mr. Skagg," said
Francesca, with much emphasis and
rising hastily. "Nothing would give
me greater pleasure."

"Confound it! She needn't have told
him so," grumbled Wharton. "He's
concocted enough as it is."

Ten minutes later, Bob was dancing
with Miss Marshall, to whom he de-
voted himself, without intermission,
through five dances, while Francesca
was deep in a flirtation of equal length
with delighted Mr. Skagg. Wharton
could see a glimmer of white, which he
knew to be Francesca's gown, at the
end of the long veranda; Francesca
could see at the other end another
gleam of white, which, she surmised,
was Miss Marshall.

Mr. Skagg was in the seventh
heaven of delight, Miss Marshall was
almost as happy. Francesca was yawning
behind her fan, and Bob was strug-
gling with a mad desire to rush
to the opposite end of the veranda to
strangle Mr. Skagg, when the guests
were summoned to the dining room.

As the merry throng trooped into
the spacious, oak-paneled room, Fran-
cesca, in passing the candle-lighted
table, happened in some way to brush
carelessly against one of the unshaded
lights.

In an instant her light organ-
dized sleeve was ablaze. In another second
she was enveloped in writhing flames.
The horror-stricken guests were spell-
bound, and for a long moment no one
moved.

With a smothered exclamation,
Wharton tore off his coat, and spring-
ing over all intervening objects
wrapped the garment about Francesca,
whose eyes were wide with terror. He
seized her by the shoulders and, with-
out ceremony, pushed her to the floor
and rolled her back and forth upon the
dusty rug, crushing out the creeping
flames with his naked hands. Then in
spite of his smarking, blistered palms,
and Francesca's half-indignant pro-
tests, he carried her to the library
couch, where she lay sobbing with
fright and pain.

Bob, regardless of his own burns,
made fruitless efforts to soothe Fran-
cesca, who was angry as well as fright-
ened. Bob, she thought, needn't have
handled her with such unnecessary
vigor.

One guest telephoned for a doctor
and Francesca's carriage, another flew
for baking soda; Mr. Skagg, who found
himself behind the door of the butler's
pantry without in the least knowing
how he got there, stood wringing his
hands in helpless fright.

It was not until Francesca was safely
in her own home and sleeping quietly
under the influence of an opiate that
Wharton discovered the extent of his
own burns and had them dressed.

Fortunately Francesca's wounds, al-
though painful, were not deep, and she
was able to see her rescuer when he
called the next afternoon to inquire
about her. She was pale, but very

Portland Cement Stocks a Safe Investment

	Capital	Par Value	Rate	Bid Askd
Altoona Portland Cement.....	\$2,000,000	\$100	7 per cent	99 100
Fonner Springs Portland Cement, prfd....	800,000	100	7 per cent	90 95
Bonner Springs Portland Cement com....	1,200,000	100	.....	30 35
Chanute Cement & Clay Product, prfd....	1,500,000	100	7 per cent	80 85
Chanute Cement & Clay Product, com....	3,000,000	100	.....	40 50
Dewey Portland Cement, prfd.....	1,000,000	100	7 per cent	85 90
Dewey Portland Cement, common.....	1,900,000	100	.....	30 34
Dixie Portland Cement, prfd.....	1,100,000	100	7 per cent	79 82
Dixie Portland Cement, common.....	1,600,000	100	.....	34 36
Guthrie Mountain Portland Cement.....	2,000,000	100	7 per cent	98 100
Hawkeye Portland Cement, prfd.....	1,200,000	100	7 per cent	95 100
Hawkeye Portland Cement, common.....	1,600,000	100	.....	15 25
Humboldt Portland Cement.....	2,000,000	100	7 per cent	98 100
Iola Portland Cement, prfd.....	1,500,000	25	7 per cent	25 25 1/2
Iola Portland Cement, common.....	3,000,000	25	4 per cent	29 30
Indian Portland Cement, prfd.....	800,000	100	8 per cent	90 93
Indian Portland Cement, common.....	1,200,000	100	.....	38 40
Interstate Portland Cement.....	3,500,000	100	7 per cent	98 100
Independence, Kas., Portland, prfd.....	1,000,000	100	7 per cent	92 95
Independence, Kas., Portland, com....	1,500,000	100	.....	50 60
Kansas Portland Cement, prfd.....	600,000	100	7 per cent	92 95
Kansas Portland Cement, common.....	1,000,000	100	10 per cent	107 112
Kansas City Portland prfd.....	750,000	100	7 per cent	80 85
Kansas City Portland, common.....	750,000	100	.....	32 36
Union Portland Cement.....	3,500,000	100	7 per cent	98 100
Western States Portland, prfd.....	1,500,000	100	7 per cent	97 100
Western States Portland, common.....	2,000,000	100	.....	59 62
Northwestern States Portland, prfd....	1,750,000	100	7 per cent	80 82
Northwestern States Portland, com....	1,750,000	100	30 35

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KANSAS CITY, MO.**

lovely in a soft white dressing gown.

Bob, who had been cautioned not to
talk to her, sat gazing at her in mourn-
ful silence. Presently she began to
laugh.

Chasnoffs

110 W. SECOND ST.

The 20 Per Cent Discount Sale

This is your last chance, and you simply cannot afford to miss it. Think of it: Our entire stock of

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is offered, without reserve, at a discount of 20 per cent from the marked prices.

Hosiery Special

Women's white lace hose; worth 25c; special price only **14c**

Voile Skirts

Beautiful black voile skirts, handsomely tailored; \$10 value for only **7.95**

All White Skirts Reduced

Women's polka dot duck skirts, finished with white piping; \$1.00 values on sale at **67c**

Women's white duck skirts that are worth \$1.50 reduced to **87c**

Wash Dresses Cut

A lot of wash dresses that have sold at \$2 and \$2.50 now on sale at **1.39**

F. P. Waists 17½c

The renowned and extensively advertised children's 25c F. P. waists, here **17½c**

A Silk Bargain

Fancy plaid, 19-inch silk taffeta and China silk; all shades; worth 69c; on sale **44c**

SEDALIA AND BUNCETON

Paragraphs Clipped From the Weekly Tribune.

The Bunceton Tribune of Tuesday printed these paragraphs:

Bert Steager, of Sedalia, who has been spending a few days with home folks in this city, returned to his work Friday.

W. T. Renshaw, of Sedalia, arrived here yesterday morning and is visiting with his wife and little son. He has a good position in the Missouri Pacific shops at Sedalia and is getting along nicely.

Miss Anna Smith, of Sedalia, accompanied by Dr. H. A. McDonald, of Pisgah, were guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. E. P. Harrod, last Sunday morning. They returned to Sedalia in the afternoon.

Dr. Battersby, of Sedalia, a trained nurse and a student physician, who is spending this year at the insane asylum at Fulton, as a student and nurse, arrived here last Sunday and is now nursing J. Newberry Moore, who has been very ill for the past six weeks.

BOUGHT FALSE TEETH

Then He Elope With Her, Taking Her Six Children Along.

Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 21.—Michael Abba, a farmer residing near Spokane and formerly a resident of this section, is alleged to have eloped with Mrs. Frank Schreiner, a Dayton woman with whom he left.

The couple, it is said, took with them the six Schreiner children, all

Diarrhoea

When you want a quick cure without any loss of time, and one that is followed by no bad results, use

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

It never fails and is pleasant to take. It is equally valuable for children. It is famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world.

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Let us convince you, and at the same time, *Save You Money.*

Price Furniture Co
Reasonable Prices
Best Quality
514 S. Ohio

REGARDING RAILROADS

CHARGE AGAINST THE UNITED STATES EXPRESS CO. IS DENIED.

COACH, CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

Charges made by certain shareholders of the United Express company, that there has been maladministration of the company's affairs, are absolutely denied by Senator Platt, whose reply as president of the company was made public yesterday, together with the statement of accountants who examined the books. A letter addressed by Senator Platt to the stockholders three days ago and made public yesterday stated that the earnings in the last six months show a large falling off and that the increase in the dividend is unwarranted.

Lynde Stetson, a director, said yesterday that the Wells-Fargo and American Express companies had obtained their holdings in the United States company in the open market, and not by purchase from the company, as charged by the complaining shareholders.

Missouri Pacific Must Advertise.

The Missouri Pacific passenger department is weeping and wailing and gnashing its teeth, says the Hutchinson, Kas., Independent. Since the pass business was shut off the road has done no advertising. It sees now that it has but little passenger business.

They see the necessity of paying for printer's ink, and a passenger agent of the road recently remarked that his company would either have to go out of business, except in local travel, or else advertise; that their thorough and foreign business had fallen off to an alarming extent. Good testimony that is to the value of printer's ink.

Completed Work Last Night.

The Zahner Manufacturing company, of Kansas City, which has been doing all the tin work in and on the new paint shop of the Katy here, completed their labors last evening, after being on the job for several weeks.

Conference Was Postponed.

The conference between Missouri Pacific officials and striking tinner, coppermiths and pipe fitters, relative to settling the strike of the men, which was to have been held in St. Louis yesterday, was postponed until today.

Died at the Hospital.

A negro extra gang laborer named Atkins, from Colbert, I. T., who has been ill with brain trouble at the Katy hospital for two weeks, died at the institution on Monday night. The body was shipped to Waskon, Tex., yesterday for burial.

The Old Flat Wheel Again.

The old flat wheel has bobbed up again. It is now doing duty on the Forest park car line. There is no danger of a prospective passenger getting left, as the coming of the car can be heard two or more blocks distant.

Found Money in Mattress.

W. H. Hukill, a railway mail clerk, who had \$40 taken from him at his boarding house one night recently, recovered the money today, it being found by attaches of the place in the mattress of Mr. Hukill's bed.

Had Salary Increased.

W. D. Moore, general chairman of the grievance committee of the B. of L. P. and E. on the Katy system, was re-elected to the position for a term of two years at Parsons, Kan., Monday. His salary was also increased.

Did Anderson Suicide?

W. F. Anderson, trainmaster for the Missouri Pacific in St. Louis, was found dead in bed yesterday in a hotel on West Madison street, Chicago. All indications point to suicide.

Hospital Arrivals.

Following are new arrivals at the Katy hospital:

J. S. Carlie, engineer, Franklin Junction, Mo.

Joe Jackson, depot porter, Parsons, Kas.

W. H. Clarke, brakeman, Parsons, Kas.

Henry Nappman, concrete laborer, Durant, I. T.

Albert Boylan, brakeman, Parsons, Kas.

James Duncan, tie plant laborer, Whitmore, Kas.

When a Man

Wishes to attract attention, he wears good clothes. Because men wish to attract more men, I make good clothes at reasonable prices. I am doing the latter to make it easy for you to do the former.

New Fall lines fully ready.

WEISBURGH, Your Tailor
New & Better Location, 213 Ohio. Suits, \$20 up. Trousers, \$5 up.

Marion Combs, bridgeman, Parsons, Kas.

John Smith, section foreman, Carbon, I. T.

Automatic Couplers.

Supt. N. J. Flaney, of the Katy, is attending to company business on the south end.

F. L. Sanders, a Katy fireman, is laying off.

Dominic Stoffel, Katy claim agent, went to Kansas City this morning.

W. E. Diden, who has been ill at the Katy hospital, was discharged yesterday.

Edward Jagles, a Katy switchman, is working today for a regular man, laying off.

Vic Kinsey, a Katy south end brakeman, is laying off. J. B. Cummings has the place.

Commercial Agent Walter B. Shirk, of the Missouri Pacific, went to Holden this morning.

Katy train No. 2, due here at 8:25 a. m., arrived at 11 o'clock today, being late out of Parsons.

A. J. Jacobs, of the M. K. & T. night yard force, will report for duty tonight, after a short layoff.

James McCabe, the veteran railroad blacksmith, left this afternoon for a visit on the Pacific coast.

Roy Kennerly, a Katy boiler-maker at Parsons, returned there yesterday, after a brief visit here.

J. J. Blue, watchman at the new shops of the Missouri Pacific, went to Kansas City this morning on business.

There are eight cases of typhoid fever at the Katy hospital, all of the victims being from Franklin Junction.

Mike Boylan, a Katy conductor, is running for Art Hawkins on the south end, the latter having gone to Canada on a visit.

Katy train No. 5 was run in two sections this morning, housekeepers filling the train. Nineteen cars comprised the two trains.

C. A. Creagan, a Katy brakeman, who has been running on the Mokane local, resumed his regular run today, relieving Willard Christian.

Roy Walker, a street car conductor, who fell from a Grand avenue car last Sunday, was down town yesterday, with the aid of crutches.

A. H. Smith, a Missouri Pacific painter, who injured his right eye last week by being struck with a piece of steel, will lose the sight of the optic.

J. D. Lewis, a Missouri Pacific brakeman between St. Louis and Kansas City, will visit relatives here for several hours tomorrow.

J. A. Chettle, a Katy brakeman, was removed from his home to the company hospital yesterday, suffering from yellow jaundice and typhoid fever.

James Owens, electrician at the Missouri Pacific shops, and wife, left this afternoon for a visit in Colorado.

C. S. Cummings, a Katy brakeman, returned last night from Fort Scott, Kas., to which place he accompanied his wife and babe, who are visiting relatives.

William Flannely, traveling passenger agent for the Southern railway, is here from Kansas City today on business.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas through sleeper to Mexico City, which was to have been put on Aug. 25, will probably be withheld until

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THE DIAMOND BRAND
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold wrapper. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHICHESTER'S PILLS. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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a date to be named later because of unexpected conditions having arisen.

The Missouri state board of railway and warehouse commissioners today began an inspection of the Iron Mountain route, leaving St. Louis this morning.

J. M. Chandler, Missouri Pacific roadmaster, went west on train No. 37 this morning. Likewise N. P. Kemp, secret service man for the Missouri Pacific.

W. F. Tyler, freight agent and yardmaster for the Missouri Pacific, has rented Judge O. E. Parsons' residence, 416 East Sixth street, and is removing to his new home.

T. J. Burns, general agent of the passenger department of the C. & A. railway at Kansas City, and A. B. Ritchie, city passenger agent for the Vandalia railway at Kansas City, are here today on business.

C. W. Herrin, a railway telegrapher from St. Louis, is here to work the first trick at the Missouri Pacific telegraph office for J. G. Butler, who, with his family, leaves soon for a visit in Chicago.

The fight referred to in Monday's Democrat-Sentinel, in which Katy stock yard men "trounced" a Texas granger, occurred at the company station, instead of at the stock yards, as previously printed.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

The Grain Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 166 cars; corn, 33 cars; oats, 38 cars.

Wheat market—One to 3 cents higher. No. 2 selling at 81c to 87 1/4c; Sept., 82 1/4c; Dec., 87 1/4c; May, 93 1/4c; No. 3 cash, 78c to 85c.

Corn market—Firm. 1/4c to 1/2c higher. No. 2 white, 51c; No. 2 yellow, 50c to 50 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 49 1/2c to 50c; Sept., 50c; Dec., 47 1/4c; May, 49 1/4c.

Oats—No. 2 white, 18 1/2c to 19c. Good demand for everything today.

Live Stock Quotations.

The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by Macell-McMullen Live Stock Commission Co., stock yards, Kansas City, Mo.:

Live stock receipts—Cattle, 13,900; hogs, 8,890; sheep, 5,000.

Cattle market—Steers, choice, \$5.50 to \$7; good, \$5.75 to \$6.25; common, \$4.25 to \$4.34. Cows, choice, \$5.50 to \$4; good, \$3 to \$3.40; common, \$2.50 to \$2.75. Feeders, choice, \$5 to \$5.50; medium, \$4 to \$4.75.

Hog market—Five to 10 cents higher; top, \$6.05. Choice heavy, over 250 pounds, \$5.70 to \$5.80; choice prime, over 200 pounds, \$5.85 to \$5.95; choice light, over 100 pounds, \$5 to \$6.05.

Sheep market, steady.

SEDALIA MARKETS.

Prices Paid by the Local Dealers for Products of the Farm and Dairy. Breadstuffs, Cereals, Etc.

Butter, per lb. 18c to 20c
Lard, per lb. 10c
Potatoes, per bu. 75c
Eggs, per doz. 12c

Cereals and Breadstuffs.
Hard wheat flour, per cwt. \$2.40
Soft wheat flour, per cwt. \$2.30
Graham flour, per cwt. \$2.30
Chops, per cwt. \$1.15
Bran, per cwt. \$1.00
Corn, per bu. 60c
Wheat, per bu. 70c

Poultry.
Spring chickens, per lb. 10c
Hens, per lb. 9 1/2c

Watch the Clock

On page 5 every day in August. Look for it now. Flower-Barnett Dry Goods Co.

A PECULIAR MURDER TRIAL

No One Knows Just What the Defense Will Be in St. Joseph Case.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 21.—Wesley Christopher, of this city, went on trial for his life yesterday in the criminal court here before Justice Alonzo D. Burnes, who had the case on a change of venue, charged with the murder of Charles Stanley March 23 last.

The forenoon was devoted to selecting a jury. From the questions asked by Christopher's counsel, the defense is expected to be insanity or self-defense.

Christopher was talking to a woman on the street the night of the

Housekeepers' Sale

Of Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, Muslins, Sheets and Pillow Cases Closes on Saturday Night at 9:30. All prices will be withdrawn at that time.

Supply your wants this week while you can make the savings we are offering you.

We offer the balance of this week 1000 dozen fine white pearl Buttons in 4 sizes, worth 25c per dozen, for, dozen **2c**

For the balance of this week we offer 6-foot opaque spring roller Curtains with fixtures ready to hang, worth today at the factory 25c, for each **25c**

7-foot, same as above, factory price is 49c each, for each **35c**

Sale Closes Saturday Night, 9:30 o'Clock.

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tragedy. At the time it was claimed he had attempted to assault her. The woman cried out and Stanley ran to her, thinking to render her assistance. Christopher shot him.

The defense admits the act of the killing. There is considerable mystery about the affair, which it is expected will be cleared up when the evidence is introduced. Fifty witnesses have been summoned by the defense.

MAN FONDOLED A SNAKE

Before the Congregation to Prove His Power Over Reptiles.

Nashville, Ind., Aug. 21.—A new and peculiar religious sect known as the "Crabbites"—Church of the First Born—is holding a series of meetings near here, under the leadership of William U. Crabb.

They claim that should a snake bite any of their members the reptile will die, and that the patient will suffer no pain or ill results.

The announcement that Rev. Crabb had secured a large copper-head snake, and that he would prove the above assertion at his meeting, attracted about 200 people to the grove.

Before the services were opened Crabb took the snake, which measured 4 feet 4 inches, up in his arms and fondled it quite awhile, and although it entwined itself around his arms, neck and limbs, it did not bite him as was expected.

Other members of his congregation refused to lay hands on the reptile, and it was given its liberty and glided off into the woods, after which Crabb continued with the usual services.

John Riba, a prominent dealer of Vining, Ia., says: "I have been dealing with the Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. There are a dozen people here who have used them and they give perfect satisfaction in every case. I have used them myself with fine results."

Sold by Arlington Pharmacy.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. H. M. Vance wishes to extend her hearty thanks through the Democrat-Sentinel to neighbors and friends, also to Revs. Claggett and Mathis and the Woodmen of the World, for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and death of her beloved husband, Henry M. Vance.

THE DR. F. L. SUTTON SALE

Good Crowd Present and Fair Prices Were Realized

Dr. F. L. Sutton held a closing out sale today on his farm, one and one-half miles north of the city limits, of all his stock, grain and other property.

A fairly good sized crowd put in an appearance, nearly all of whom proved buyers, and in most cases satisfactory prices were realized.

Hogs, of which he had several large bunches, sold for fully 8 cents per pound. A 5-year-old mare went for \$158, another sold for \$155 and other horse stock for full value.

The Hieronymus Bros. conducted the sale in a most satisfactory manner, and J. M. James had charge of the books.

The ladies of the East Sedalia Christian church served a fine lunch, which was patronized by all present.

UNMOVED BY TEARS

Young Fooker Refuses to Throw Light Upon the Burglary.

Lima, Ohio, Aug. 21.—Though a mother's tears have been shed in pleading that he save himself by telling who pillaged the Hall jewelry store, Karl C. Fooker has refused to give any information.

"I've done wrong and must pay the penalty," said the young man, in answer to his mother, who made a third visit to his cell at the county jail yesterday.

Because of the pleadings of the aged mother, a wife and two children, and many relatives of the young man, who is a member of one of the best families, it is expected he will yet clear himself of any connection with the crime save receiving goods known to have been stolen, which he has confessed.

Fooker was arraigned but his attorney merely entered a plea of not guilty, and the preliminary trial, at his request, was postponed until later in the week.

A Row Out East.

Hubert McGee and Walker Davidson, boys, were arrested today for disturbing the peace of J. J. Murrill in East Sedalia, and will have a hearing before Justice Rickman tomorrow afternoon.

Tell Them You Know!
You may tell your friends, on our "say-so," that when they buy a package of the genuine Arbuckles' Arizona Coffee they get the best of the coffee trade.

No coffee of equal quality can be sold in this town for the same price, whether it be sold out of a bag or a bin, or under some romantic trade-mark. You may tell them you know and that Arbuckle Brothers, the greatest coffee dealers in the world, will stand for it.

ARBUCKLE BROS., New York City.